CLAIMS

- 1. Process for the relocation of objects and images by correlation of an object reference (11) with image values, characterized in that, in case of a partial coverup (2) of an object (1), the image values, that lie in the image within the coverage area,
- image values, that lie in the image within the coverage area, are replaced by gray values of object (1), before correlation is performed.
- 2. Process according to Claim 1, characterized in that a reference image is subjected to interference windowing in order to replace the image values within an interference mask (20) with the gray values of object (1).
- 3. Process according to Claim 1 or Claim 2, characterized in that the reference image is subjected to object windowing in order to get the object reference (11).
- 4. Process according to one of the above Claims, characterized in that, prior to coverup, the image of the complete object (1) is stored in order to determine the position of object (1) in case of a partial coverup.
 - 5. Process according to one of the above Claims,

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characterized in that parts (1a) of object (1), that are covered up in the image, are replaced by parts of a stored reference.

6. System for relocating objects and images,

characterized by
a camera to take a picture,
an image data memory to store an object reference,
an image data processor to replace gray values that are within
a coverage area in the image, with gray values of the object
reference and



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a correlation unit that correlates the image, altered by the image data processor, with the object reference.